

## Message Text

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E.O.11652: N/A  
TAGS: TPHY USXL XK  
SUBJ: PROJECT STORMFURY

REF: STATE 186271

1. LETTER BASED ON REFTEL SENT TO FRENCH MFA ON JULY 26, 1978. EMBASSY INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF RESPONSE FROM MFA'S OFFICE OF SCIENTIFIC AFFAIRS DATED JULY 31 FOLLOWS PARA 2.

2. EMBASSY INFORMAL TRANSLATION:

"THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF JULY 26, ACCORDING TO WHICH NOAA WILL PROCEED TO SEED CLOUDS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE STORMFURY PROJECT, WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THIS EXPERIMENT WILL BE CARRIED OUT ON CLOUDS MOVING UNCLASSIFIED

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AWAY FROM THE CABBEAN ZONE.

"I HAVE TAKEN NOTE OF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN YOUR LETTER, WHICH HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED TO THE INTERESTED FRENCH AUTHORITIES. IT GOES WITHOUT SAYING THAT IF THE AIRCRAFT FLIGHTS TAKE PLACE IN FRENCH AIR SPACE, THE USUAL PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING OVERFLIGHT

AUTHORIZATION WILL BE FOLLOWED.

"I WOULD NATURALLY APPRECIATE RECEIVING, IN THE LEAST  
POSSIBLE DELAY, ALL USEFUL INFORMATION ON THE SEEDING  
DECISION WHEN IT HAS BEEN MADE."

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